

Green Mountain/Finger Lakes National Forests

Rainbow Family National Gathering
Information Update
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3,337 Rainbow Family members are currently camping on Forest Road 10 near Mount Tabor. Parking challenges continue along FR 10 and in bus village. 658 cars and 47 buses are at the gathering site.

To date, 140 Warning Notices, and 120 Violation Notices have been issued. Investigations are ongoing for some cases that remain unsolved.

Law enforcement officials have issued a Warning Notice to Rainbow Family members at the "A" Camp for obstructing traffic along FR 10. The congested area continues to be an issue for local commuters and those trying to arrive and leave the gathering. If Rainbow Family members do not abide by this warning, they will be issued a violation notice that requires them to appear in Federal Court.

Surrounding communities and business owners are likely to see an increase in Rainbow Family activity in the coming days as more participants arrive for the gathering. Activities in need of law enforcement attention should be brought to the attention of the incident command post at the number above or by calling 911.

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Above left photo: "Save my Parking Space" as parking continues to be a challenge. Above Right Photo: An array of signs are beginning to appear at the various campsites.